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CARBON

Funeral services were held in Carbon United Church today for Mrs. S. J. Garrett's mother, Mrs. Hill of Rosetown. Interment was in Carbon cemetery.

Prizewinners at the I.O.D.E. party in the Legion hall last Friday evening were, ladies' Mrs. V. Hawkins and Mrs. F. Schmieder; gents, A. Wallace and J. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fox are attending a Lions function at Great Falls, Mont., this week.

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The coal strike is still on. Carbon slack is still feeding the power plant at Drumheller.

Two ranks of curlers took part in the Acme bonspiel this week.

Calgary visitors this week included Mrs. G. N. Simpson, Mrs. M. Switzer, Messrs. Ed. Ohlhauser, Bill and Ruchen Ohlhauser, J. D. Graff, Art Weigum, John Diede.

Tannas Bros., Rockyford, are offering a number of new radios and combination radios at the old price.

A number of Carbon Lions attended the Charter Night Anniversary celebration at Irricana Monday evening.

The municipality has recently purchased a new Chev one-ton truck.

Village and school annual meetings will be held next month.

Get a new blouse at the Carbon Trading Co. \$1.00 each.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dolphin on Wednesday evening.

Albert, 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Charlebois was rushed to Drumheller hospital for an appendicitis operation on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emery were week-end visitors to Calgary attending the A.Y.P.A. conference while in the city.

The Junior Ladies' Aid will hold their Annual Spring Bazaar in the Scout Hall, March 20th.

Carbon Old Timers are sponsoring a dance in the Scout Hall on Feb. 11th.

Don't fail to see Mrs. Carl Schmalz's troupe of skaters at the LIONS Carnical on February 4th.

Apply Safety First Rule to Valuables

People often keep only documents in safety deposit boxes, leaving other valuables, such as jewellery and heirlooms around their homes, said Dan Rusler, local Bank of Montreal manager, commenting yesterday on the recent wave of burglaries across Canada.

B of M safety deposit boxes and storage vaults are the best place for every kind of small article of large value, and they are secure and inexpensive. Pay a visit to your B of M branch and discuss your requirements . . . before it's too late.

Joe: Betcha our team kicks off.

Pete: I didn't even know they were sick.

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LEMONS, fresh, juicy, large, dozen . . . 27c
PRUNES, large, fresh, 60x70s, box . . . 2.65

25 lbs. net. Won't last long at this price.

SWEET POTATOES, lb. 15c

Top Brands COFFEE, lb. 53c

Top Brands TEA, lb. 89c

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CHEESE, Ontario, cured, lb. 43c

Norval's MALTED MILK, gallons 1.45

Regular 2.75. Ten jars only.

PRETZELS, 10 oz. pkgs. see 10c table

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CANDY SPECIAL, 4x6c articles. 10c table

Nut topped sugared DATES, regular 65c

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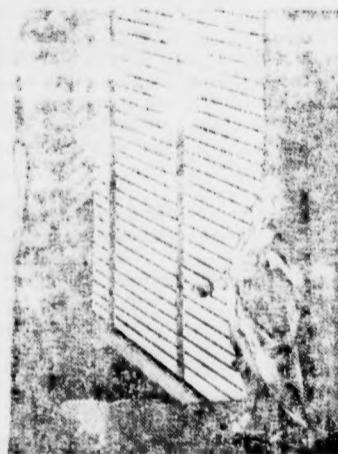
BARGAINS AT BRAISHER'S

Army Fatigue Shoes	1.25
Army 2-buckle Rubber Boots	2.00 & 2.25
Army Muckluks	1.00
Army Undershirts	69c
Army Blankets	3.25

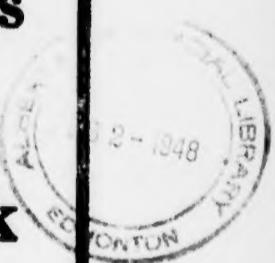
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Electric and Gas Washers in Stock

Refrigerators for immediate delivery



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Blinds
in
Stock



Pyrex Bowl Sets, reg. \$1.40. To clear at

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RADIOS and Combination Radios at the
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Tannas Bros.

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to our big
JOHN DEERE DAY PROGRAM

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Barbara Wooddell
William Wright
Hobart Cavanaugh



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If you don't have tickets or need more — ASK US FOR THEM

Canada's Merchant Navy

CANADA'S MERCHANT NAVY was greatly expanded during the war when, in carrying vitally-needed war supplies over hazardous sea routes, it was rightly regarded as a foremost part of our war effort. Canadian merchant seamen were known to be second to none in their bravery and devotion to duty in times when it was of the utmost importance that war materials and food should reach the overseas ports. At the beginning of the war Canada had only 35 regular ocean-going merchant vessels of over 1,600 tons, totalling altogether 241,880 gross tons. By April 1st., 1947, this fleet had grown to 386 ships, weighing 1,667,724 gross tons.

To Be Operated By Canadians

The cost of these vessels, which were built by seventeen of Canada's largest ship yards and a number of smaller concerns, was \$26.9 million dollars. Crown companies were formed to speed up the work and cut costs, and as a result of these efforts Canada was able to make a notable contribution to the success of Allied shipping during the war. There were some losses to the fleet due to enemy action, and early in the war ninety vessels were sold to the United States at cost, to be sent to Britain under the terms of lend-lease. Since the end of the war, it has been the policy of the government to sell those ships which remain only to Canadian firms, to be operated under Canadian registry and consequently Canada now has a large and well equipped merchant fleet.

A Fine Record To Maintain

Of the \$26.9 million dollars spent on the construction and operation of Canada's wartime merchant fleet, the Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe, in a recent report to parliament, stated that the government expects to have a net deficit of less than 100 million dollars. This would include losses due to enemy action. There remains a merchant navy of considerable size, in fact Halifax is now known as the home port of one of the world's largest merchant fleets. While it is always regarded as part of nation's defence, the merchant navy must also in peacetime be regarded as an industry. The future of the large number of ships now operated by Canadian companies will depend on the amount of goods available for them to carry, as well as the degree of efficiency with which they are operated and maintained. The Canadian merchant navy has established a splendid record and it is to be hoped that it will retain in the future the place which it now holds in world shipping circles.

When your little one catches cold-

Tonight . . . do what most mothers do to relieve miseries of children's colds: Simply rub warming Vicks VapoRub on throat, chest and back at bedtime. Results are so good because VapoRub's special relief-bringing action starts right away and keeps on working for hours during the night while the child sleeps. Often by morning most misery of the cold is relieved. Remember, Mother . . . when your children catch cold . . . be sure you get time-tested Vicks VapoRub.

EXPENSIVE RECIPE

BOSTON.—A Boston woman asked a dining-car waiter for the recipe of a fudge cake she had enjoyed on the train. The chef who had concocted the cake sent her the recipe—with a bill for \$25. Her lawyer advised her to pay the \$25.

LEARN HAIRDRESSING

Clean, steady, interesting, refined, good paying profession. Standardized positions now open. Many start own business. Train under direct supervision of outstanding beauty culture experts. Complete, thorough, superior training. The Nu-Fashion method assures success. Write or Call—

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which makes you NERVOUS HIGH-STRUNG on such days?

Are you troubled by distress of female functional monthly disturbances which makes you suffer, feel so nervous, cranky, restless, weak—at such times? Then do try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms!

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Pinkham's Compound is what is known as a uterine sedative. It has a soothing effect on one of woman's most important organs.

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For over 70 years thousands of girls and women have reported benefit. Just see if you, too don't report excellent results. Worth trying!

NOTE: OR you may prefer LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S TABLETS with added iron.



PRIZE WINNER — Mrs. L. G. Saunders, Borden, Sask., holding one of her prize-winning group of six turkeys at the Western Canada Dressed Meat Show.

ELK CAN BE FORGETFUL IF IT SAVES THEM WORK

NEW YORK.—Maybe an elephant never forgets, but an elk does—if he can save himself some work.

Wild elk, new members of the New York Zoo colony, were turned outside on a snowy day. Used to foraging for themselves, they pawed beneath the snow and leaves and found grass to eat. Zoo-bred elk, not as ingenious, merely stood near the fence and bawled until an attendant brought them some hay.

But the new elk learned fast. Within 48 hours they learned their companions' technique and now they wait to be waited on, too.

BEAT THIS! \$21.00 FOUND IN CAN OF SOUP

MOORHEAD, Minn.—Bill Wherzog found a \$21 can of soup when a customer ordered tomato soup at Wherzog's restaurant.

When Wherzog opened the can, he saw a piece of crumpled paper in the soup. As he was about to throw the can away, he detected printing which said: "Payroll Savings Plan, National Bank and Trust Co. of New Jersey."

Inside the folded paper were four \$5 bills and a \$1 bill.

ONE PUZZLE SCIENTISTS ARE UNABLE TO SOLVE

One of the puzzles of modern science is the question of how long the sun will last. The Encyclopedia Americana says that if the sun were merely losing energy like an ordinary hot body cooling off, a simple calculation will show that it would be almost completely cold in the course of three or four thousand years. Geologists can prove, however, that it has cooled off not one degree in hundreds of millions of years.

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Mrs. Baggs: "My husband can't bear opera. The opening bars alone are enough to send him home."

Mrs. Waggs (sadly sighing): "Well, you're very lucky; it's the closing bars that send my husband home."

Two buzzards were lazily soaring over the desert when a jet-propelled plane zipped by them, its exhaust throwing flame and smoke. As it whizzed out of sight, one of the buzzards remarked: "That bird was really in a hurry."

"You'd be in a hurry, too," said the other, "if your tail was on fire."

"I can't understand how you manage to keep so calm, whatever happens," said Robinson.

"Oh, it's just a matter of training," explained Thompson. "You see I've a wife, five children, two dogs and a cigarette lighter!"

"Harry, did you give that wife of yours a lecture on economy last night?"

"Yes, I quit smoking." 2759

Canada's West Dotted With Hidden Oil Wells

A. I. Levorsen, Geologist, Predicts Hundreds Of Wells To Be Discovered

OTTAWA.—A. I. Levorsen, retiring president of the Geological Society of America, said it is "inconceivable" that the plains of western Canada "should not be the site of hundreds upon hundreds of oil fields yet to be discovered."

In his presidential address to the first joint annual meeting of the U.S. society and the Geological Association of Canada, he said this reasoning also applied to the plains of Mexico.

"Deposits such as the Athabasca oil sand of Canada or the Golden Lane and Poza Rica fields in Mexico give a measure of the possible size of some of these undiscovered fields," he said.

"Not until thousands of additional test wells have been drilled throughout both regions can we say that the exploration of these areas has been completed."

Dr. Levorsen, a professor at Stanford university in California, reviewed the oil resources of the North American continent and said current demands plus the fact production is running close to capacity "gives legitimate alarm about our ability to continue to supply adequate amounts of petroleum during the decades ahead."

The two alternatives were to manufacture substitute fuels from the great reserves of coal, oil shales and tar sands and to increase oil field discovery within the continental borders.

Two areas which have many common characteristics significant in the geology of petroleum are the plains of western Canada and eastern Mexi-



ADVENTURE ON TRIP — Isabel MacArthur was one of the passengers on the C.N.R. train derailed at Anola, Man. She was tossed through a train window and almost completely buried in the snow. She managed to crawl out unaided. Miss MacArthur, taking a post-graduate course in dietetics at Columbia University, New York, was on her way to Winnipeg to spend a holiday with her mother.

PRODUCTION OF SHORN WOOL SHOWS DECREASE

Canadian shorn wool production in 1947 is estimated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at 10,176,000 pounds as compared with 11,457,000 pounds in 1946. The 1947 clip is the smallest since 1925, and is largely due to the reduced number of sheep on farms. Largest shorn wool production was 15,128,000 pounds in 1944.

STARTED SOMETHING

William Gilbert in 1600 set the foundation for the discovery of radio when he conceived of the earth as a great magnet with magnetic poles and a field of force about it.

co and Guatemala. Both contain numerous and widespread evidence of petroleum in the asphalt and tar deposits.

"SALADA" TEA BAGS

So handy



It keeps in the cupboard—it's quick-acting—it's always there when you want it! Now, with the New Fleischmann's Royal Fast Rising Dry Yeast, you can bake more delicious breads and rolls in extra-fast time. No dashing to the store at the last minute—you can keep a month's supply standing by, use it as you need it. It will be as potent the day you use it as the day you bought it. IF YOU BAKE AT HOME—get Fleischmann's Royal Fast Rising Dry Yeast today. At your grocer's.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Elre authorities are considering using aircraft to help protect sea fisheries from poachers.

zone of Germany will end March 1. The German News Service in the British zone reported.

A collection of works by Robert Burns has been published at Moscow in a new translation by the Russian poet Samuil Marshak.

Health Minister Aneurin Bevan announced 1,000,000 persons have moved into new houses completed under Britain's post-war building program.

The excess profits tax, imposed in 1941 as a means of preventing business profiteering during wartime, was repealed Dec. 31, despite recent requests that it be continued.

A plan for exchanging entertainment groups between Canada and Britain was outlined at Vancouver by William Walker, director of a local theatrical agency.

A court in Middlesborough adjourned a charge for three days until definition of a word used in the case was clarified by reference to the Oxford Standard dictionary.

Plans for a new Arctic patrol boat to replace the RMS Nasco, lost off Cape Dorset, Baffin Island, last summer, were announced at Ottawa by Transport Minister Chevrier.

Postal censorship in the British Food Minister Strachey said in the house of commons the breakages of imported eggs during unloading in 1947 was "only fractionally higher" than the two per cent. reported in 1946.

Fashions



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Perfection In Slips

Herc's a perfect slip which solves that everlasting problem — it won't ride or twist. Especially designed for larger sizes, Pattern 4991 makes the least of your figure!

This pattern, easy to use, simple to sew, is tested for fit. Includes complete illustrated instructions.

Pattern 4991 comes in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48. Size 36 takes 2½ yards 39-inch fabric.

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MONEY GIFT FOR BRIDE WAS NEVER COLLECTED

POWNAL, Vt.—The first wedding in Pownal Centre Union church's 100-year history will take place—36 years too late for payment of a \$10 gift once offered to the first bride to march down its aisle.

A century ago Daniel Dean of Pownal Centre, who furnished some of the lumber for the church, posted a \$10 gift for its first bride—but the offer expired when he died in 1911.

Three-quarters of the world's area is ocean. 2759

New York Preacher Visits Jack Miner Bird Sanctuary



Manly F. Miner, (right), eldest son of the late Jack Miner, O.B.E., showing Rev. Norman Vincent Peale, D.D., pastor of Marble Collegiate Church, Fifth Ave., New York City, how Canada Geese are banded at the world famous Jack Miner Bird Sanctuary at Kingsville, Ontario, Canada. Dr. Peale is wearing the hat and coat of the late Jack Miner with a goose in each arm, which had been trapped for banding purposes on the Jack Miner bird haven.

Dr. Peale became famous the last few years as not only pastor of the oldest Protestant church (Dutch Reformed) on Fifth Avenue, New York, but as editor of a little weekly non-profit pamphlet known as Guide Posts which is printed under his directorship.

Rev. Peale became interested in bird banding activities at the famous Jack Miner refuge from the angle of using the birds as missionaries because forty years ago the late Jack Miner conceived the idea of putting a verse of scripture on each band as well as his name and address. In this way Jack Miner used to say he was fulfilling the promises in the Holy Book where it says "And the fowls of the air shall tell thee."

INCOME NOT SO GOOD

ATLANTA, Ga.—U.S. Department of Agriculture figures show that Georgia farmers have the fourth lowest per capita income of any group in the nation. Farmers' income per year in Georgia averages \$306—slightly more than one third the national farm income per capita.

HAD CLEVER IDEA

SYDNEY, Australia.—An orchardist here bought an old airplane, took off the wings and mounted the fuselage, with motor, on a turn-table in his orchard. When it becomes cold he runs the engine on petrol and kerosene and the slip-stream protects an area 300 yards in diameter from frost.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By WILLIAM FERGUSON



LITTLE REGGIE



By Margarita

PRISCILLA'S POP—He's Funny That Way



—By Al Vermeer

Canada Opens New Legation

OTTAWA.—Canada has opened a legation in Yugoslavia, it was announced. Minister to the Balkan country will be Emile Vaillancourt, 48, of Montreal, the first Canadian representative in Cuba.

Mr. Vaillancourt presented his letter of credence to the president of Cuba May 8, 1945. He will now open the first Canadian diplomatic mission in Belgrade.

Canada has had direct diplomatic relations with Yugoslavia since the exchange, during the war, of diplomatic representatives between Canada and the Yugoslav government in London. In 1942, General Georges P. Vanier was accredited as minister to Yugoslavia, and Dr. Izidor Cankar was minister of Yugoslavia in Ottawa. Mr. Matko Jaksic has been nominated as Yugoslav minister in succession to Dr. Cankar and will take up his duties at Ottawa in the near future.



DIES AFTER BEATING—Douglas Reynolds, 26, Chatham city police constable, died in a Chatham, Ont., hospital from injuries received in a beating while performing his duties.

Lieutenant Remembers Townsfolk In Belgium

NEW YORK.—A former United States army lieutenant who borrowed several hundred bedsheet from the townsfolk of Hemrouille, Belgium, to camouflage his men in a snowstorm during the Battle of the Bulge, has gone to Europe, to pay the people back.

John Hanlon of Winchester, Mass., said he had obtained more than 500 sheets in a public appeal in Winchester and nearby communities.

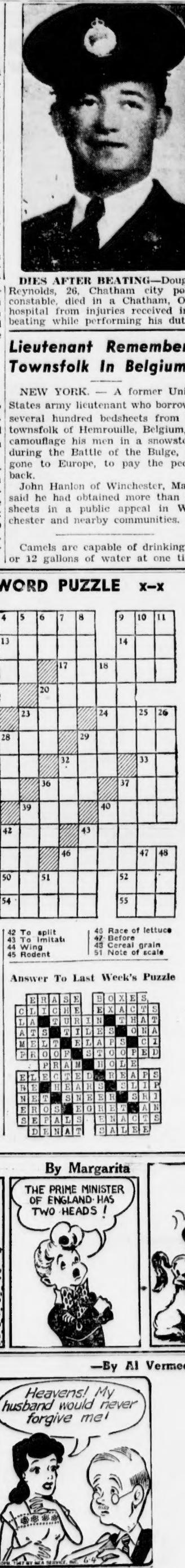
Camels are capable of drinking 10 or 12 gallons of water at one time.

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

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20	To prohibit									
21	A treadle									
22	Positive pole									
23	Chinese pagoda									
25	Relation of one thing to another									
26	Smells									
28	Insect									
29	To switch									
31	Projecting part of church									
32	Writing implement									
35	To seek with longing									
36	Swordman's dummy stake									
37	Factors									
39	Ringworm									
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42	To split									
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44	Wing									
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47	Cereal grain									
48	Rodent									

Answer To Last Week's Puzzle

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CARBON LIONS CLUB



Edith King



Estella Schell

- PRESENTS -
Giant Ice

CARNIVAL

And **QUEEN CONTEST**

Wednesday, Feb. 4th, 7.30 p.m.

**COSTUME JUDGING
AT 8.00 p.m.**

Best Dressed, 6 yrs. & under
Best Dressed, 7 to 12 years
Best Dressed, 13 to 18 years
Best Dressed, 19 yrs. & over
Best Comic, 6 yrs. & under
Best Comic, 7 to 12 years
Best Comic, 13 to 18 years
Best Comic, 19 yrs. & over

CLOWN ACTS

Mrs. Carl Schmaltz

PRESENTS HER

Troupe of Fancy Skaters

GRAND OPENING AT 7.30 p.m.

BIG RACING EVENT

Novelty Races

Chuck Wagon Races

Relay Races

RACES

6 years and under

7 to 12 years

13 to 18 years

RACES, 8.45 & 9.30 p.m.

CROWNING OF CARNIVAL QUEEN AT 10:00 p.m.

Public Address System

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Hot Dogs Coffee Soft Drinks



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ADULTS, 50c

CHILDREN 25c

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- Six-Point Distribution of Milk Utilizes Entire Disc Area.
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35 FT. BOOM (2 Rods) ELIMINATES MEASURING. TAKE OFF FOR CORNER GARDENS, BARNS, ETC. FITS MOST MODELS OF WHEEL TYPE TRACTORS. FOLDS UPWARDS OR BACKWARDS FOR IMMEDIATE TRANSPORTATION.

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In loving memory of our beloved husband and father, Henry Forsch, who died January 30th, 1947.

"God knows how much we miss him,
Never shall his memory fade,
Loving thoughts shall ever wander
To the spot where he is laid."
Sadly missed by wife and children.

BEISEKER NEWS

Mrs. Peter Ternes had an appendicitis operation at the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary, last Monday.

Beiseker senior hockey team defeated Rockyford last Sunday by a 6-1 score.

Support your home town sports. They will give you good clean sport and entertainment. Be there to lend your support.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rays of Innisfail visited with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hixt and Mr. and Mrs. John Hixt last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Berreth left for a six weeks vacation to Vancouver where they will visit with Mr. Berreth's sister and daughter. From there they intend to travel to Lodi, Calif., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker.

Pauline Schmalz had a tonsil operation last Monday.

THIS IS AN EMERGENCY

... let's treat it as such!

CANADA is heavily "in the red" in present trading with the U.S. dollar area. In our total trade with the world we are in a good position but not in that part which is done with U.S. dollar countries. Other countries with whom we do business cannot pay us in full, either in cash or in goods, for the things they buy from us.

This situation is made more serious than ever before because so many countries, our regular customers, have not recovered from the war. It may be some time yet before they get on their feet sufficiently to help put things right. Meantime, we must find ways and means of balancing our own books and reducing our U.S. dollar deficit.

There are two things we can do at the moment... cut down unnecessary purchases from the U.S. dollar area and increase our production of goods that can be sold to those countries to balance accounts. It's an emergency and should be treated as such.

TO KEEP OUR INDUSTRIES HUMMING... OUR LIVING STANDARD

**HIGH, WE NEED PETROLEUM,
COAL, COTTON, STEEL
AND SIMILAR ESSENTIAL THINGS**



WE CAN PAY FOR THESE THINGS IF WE CURTAIL OUR SPENDING ON IMPORTED NON-ESSENTIALS OR TRIMMINGS . . . AT LEAST FOR AWHILE

YOU AS A CANADIAN CAN HELP

1. Do not order goods by mail from other countries... do not buy goods to bring home when you travel outside Canada. See also Item 2.
2. If you feel same purchase is absolutely essential, see your Collector of Customs and Excise beforehand, to learn whether the item is prohibited.
3. Look for alternatives or substitutes for the items which are temporarily prohibited.
4. If certain goods seem to be in short supply, do not overlook the possibility that it is seasonal, or merely a local condition, or perhaps brought about by entirely unnecessary buying.
5. Be sure to obtain the Tariff Item Number from your Collector of Customs and Excise before pursuing any inquiry. Quote this number in all correspondence.
6. IF WE TACKLE THIS PROBLEM IN THE SAME SPIRIT OF CO-OPERATION DEMONSTRATED DURING THE WAR YEARS IT CAN BE SOLVED WITH LONG-TERM BENEFIT TO EVERY CANADIAN.

EMERGENCY IMPORT CONTROL DIVISION
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Ottawa

CANADA NEEDS
U.S. DOLLARS

World News In Pictures



MAY BE AMBASSADOR—Cicely Ludlam of Sheffield may some day be Britain's first woman ambassador in a foreign capital. She has been appointed third secretary to the embassy at Belgrade, the first woman to qualify as a permanent member of the foreign office diplomatic staff. It is customary to appoint ambassadors from among the foreign office diplomatic staffs.



AGRICULTURE'S EXECUTIVES—Shown above, are the Alberta Federation of Agriculture's executives. Left to right: E. H. Keith, Sexsmith, second vice-president; Roy C. Marler, Bremner, president, and George E. Church, Balzac, first vice-president. The Federation moved at the annual convention to pass resolutions to expand the powers of the Canadian Wheat Board and for the lifting of the embargo on exports of livestock to United States. Plans were laid for consideration of fresh merger plans among the farm bodies of Alberta.



HILDEGARDE LOSES \$10,000 COAT—Hildegard, radio and screen singer, shown here on a visit to Canada, had her New York home ransacked of jewellery and furs recently. Police were presented with a list of items stolen which included a \$10,000 fur coat, a diamond pin, a diamond set watch, and a couple of gold wrist watches. This list was only the part of the items that she had missed so far. Police believe the burglar used a pass key.



ONE DROWNED IN TRENT RIVER—When a car driven by Leo Kravacek skidded on the road, it plunged over an embankment and through the ice into the river at Trenton, Ont. He was rescued, but his companion, Louis Stogian, was drowned and a search by firemen failed to locate his body. The auto was empty when it was brought to the surface.



PETRILLO IS IN THE NEWS—Making records as fast as they can before James Caesar Petrillo's ban stopped union musicians from playing for discs were such stars as Dinah Shore, (right).



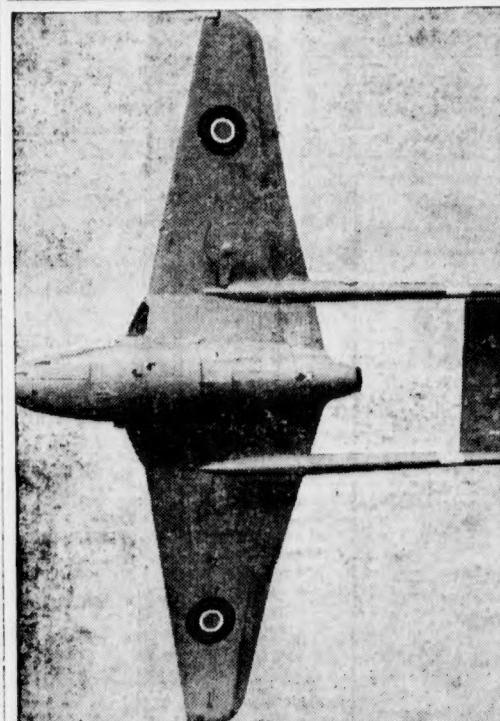
MAHARAJAH'S JUBILEE—Silver jubilee on his throne of Jaipur, India, was celebrated with a ceremonial durbar by the Maharaja of Jaipur. Earl Mountbatten, Lady Mountbatten were guests. Shortly after the celebrations, the Hindoo-Moslem hatred flared into street fighting with several lives lost.



RUBBER-NECKING NOT ALLOWED—Traffic violation in the Sahara brings a police warning to this Sudanese merchant en route to Cairo, for the camel-rider "rubber-necked" over the newly excavated Sphinx area.



FRENCH GREET FRIENDSHIP TRAIN SUPPLIES—Native costumes were worn by these girls from every province of France, who were in Le Havre to greet the arrival of the ship American Leader, loaded with food for the French people. The food was collected by the Friendship Train.



JET FIGHTERS FOR R.C.A.F.—Vampire jet fighters, such as the one shown here, have become standard equipment for the R.C.A.F. Several squadrons of the air force will be equipped with the jet fighters. Canadian air stations will likely have the 600-mile-per-hour craft in operation soon.



A BEAR FOR A PET—Ten-month-old Snooky romps around Reed home in Flint, Mich., like a big puppy, and Sharon, two, is quite unconcerned as she reaches to pet the bear, a gift to the family.



POP BOTTLE PROVES MIGHTIER THAN PISTOL—Whirlwind attack by father and son forestalled a robbery at a fish and chip store in Toronto. Tom Higgins, (left), shows the technique used when he helped his son subdue the robber. While they wielded pop bottles, Mrs. Tom Higgins, Sr., shown right, called the police.



OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

TO BE REDEEMED

(By EDWARD EARL LEE)

SILAS HENBURY, wedged into a chair tilted against the counter, was slipping into his regular after-dinner snooze when the door opened. The customer was an elderly woman. Silas rose and the chair creaked its relief. He clumped behind the counter and said: "Good evening, ma'am. Something I can do for you?"

"Wh-why, yes, I suppose so. At least, I hope so."

Her voice registered pleasantly. He seldom heard such modulated speech. He was more familiar with haggling, shrewish voices; pleading, whining tones; arrogant, demanding talk. It reminded him of his past; a past he recalled less and less with passing years.

"Anything within reason. That's why I'm called 'Uncle Silas'. My customers are just like relatives to me."

"That makes it easier. I never had to pawn anything before. But..."

Her voice trailed into silence. Silas knew that when she continued, throughout her story would run the same theme as countless others to which he had listened during his 40 years in the pawnbroker business. He nodded his head encouragingly.

"This gold locket," she said, unfolding her hands to reveal the trinket, "was presented to me by my husband when we were married. No matter how often we moved trying to better our circumstances, they never improved. After his death last year things became worse. I sold most of my valuables. But this... I just couldn't. I only want a loan on this locket, for someday I shall redeem it."

That is what they all say, thought Silas, as the locket changed hands. And the pathetic thing is they actually believe it, despite the possessions of many other persons in the pawn

shop which now bear price tags. His philosophizing was ended by the woman continuing her story.

"But to every pawn shop I've gone, they refuse to lend me any money. They say it is not valuable enough to be held as security for repayment of the amount of money I need. I know they are mistaken."

"We'll soon see," said Silas. He lightly scratched the surface of the locket with a penknife. Into that shallow furrow he let fall a few drops of acid, then shook his head as a greenish tinge appeared, saying: "I'm sorry, but this locket's only value is as a keepsake. It's tin."

"I... I can't understand it. There must be some mistake. Look here," she directed, unfastening the trinket. Its two heart-shaped halves swung open and she pointed to metal that encircled two miniature portraits.

"See how bright and solid that is?"

Silas gazed intently at the pictures, then carefully scrutinized her face. Slowly, indistinct impressions emerged from recesses of his mind to become outlined sharply in his conviction.

"That photograph favors you, ma'am, even though it was taken when you were younger."

"Forty years younger, to be exact, when I was married. The opposite one is of my husband. It favors him, too."

"I'm sure it does. Looks like he was a fine man."

"He was. Folks said he was unreliable and irresponsible. I suppose Henry was, in a way. But they were his only faults."

"Pardon my asking, but, you loved him a great deal."

"Yes, and, I still do," she answered. Then, regarding him with a quizzical look, said: "Why did you ask?"

"Well, I just kind of thought a woman wouldn't stay married 40 years unless she loved her husband a great deal."

"You make me feel noble," she replied. "Now, concerning this locket."

Her words recalled Silas to the business at hand. He said: "I was mistaken. The inside was what convinced me."

Silas gave her the money she requested and closed the deal. Her fervent thanks made him glad that he had gone through with the deception. For, he had recognized Agnes Trumbull's picture. That was how she had looked when she had rejected him to marry his cousin, Henry.

LETHBRIDGE, Alta. — As a boy, Walter Gurney wanted to collect items—but he never had enough money to do it. However, 12 years ago he and his wife took a trip to Havana and that crystallized his determination.

Now Gurney's museum is one of the showplaces of Lethbridge. More than 43,000 visitors—including many from such distant places as South Africa, Europe and Australia—have inspected the collection in little more than two years.

At present, Mr. Gurney has about 350 mounted birds and animals.

There are 640 birds' eggs and 15 outstanding freaks.

He has a baby pig with the body of an elephant, an albino mouse and an albino kitten.

German prisoner-of-war left behind a complete set of war badges and also 13 different battleships carved out of wood.

In the Indian section are arrowheads, hammers, stone pipes, knives, tomahawks, head dresses and bead work. There are sea shells from all over the world including coral and mother of pearl.

Mr. Gurney didn't stop there, he has, in addition, a coin and currency collection dating back to 146 A.D.

There are two handmade coins dated 238 A.D. and 244 A.D. And, strangely enough, there is also the now unknown Canadian four-dollar bill.

Mr. Gurney says it takes four full hours to really tour the museum and he thinks it's time well spent.

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MAGIC'S RICH Chocolate Dips!

Cream $\frac{3}{4}$ c. shortening and $\frac{3}{4}$ c. sugar. Add 1 egg; beat. Add 2 tbs. grated orange rind and 2 tbs. orange juice. Sift together $1\frac{1}{4}$ c. sifted all purpose flour, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. Magic Baking Powder; add Mix. Chill. Roll dough thin; cut according to directions below. Bake in 375°F. oven, 10 min.

Crescent Cookies Follow above recipe, cut with crescent cutter. Bake. Spread with melted sweet chocolate, sprinkle with finely chopped walnut meat.

Filled Cookies Follow above recipe, cut with round cutter. Cut smaller round from center of $\frac{3}{4}$ the rounds. Bake. Then spread plain round with melted sweet chocolate; top w/ thin doughnut round.

Coconut Sticks Follow above recipe, cut in strips $\frac{3}{4}$ by $\frac{1}{2}$. Brush with milk; sprinkle with coconut. Bake. Dip ends in melted sweet chocolate.

Pecan Squares Follow above recipe, cut dough in $\frac{1}{4}$ squares with pastry wheel. Place $\frac{1}{2}$ pecan meat in center of each. Bake. Dip corners in melted sweet chocolate.



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THE TILLERS



A QUESTION MARK—This snapshot by Miss Nora L. Marshall, Glanford Sta., Ont., shows approximately 700 pullets raised in 1947. The design in picture is supposed to be a "question mark". It was first arranged with lime, then followed with scratch grain. "At present," states Miss Marshall, "it certainly is a question as to the profit to be made at the price of feed."

Experience Of Grain Buyer Was Unusual

PLENTY, Sask. — Emil Olson, Plenty grain buyer, is wondering what the odds are against loading the same grain car in one season.

Noticing No. 172,772 on the loaded car, it seemed familiar and in checking his files he found the same car had been shipped east by him a month earlier.

Japan Population Reaches 78,220,840

TOKYO. — Allied officials have found that the congested condition of the Japanese islands—diminished in areas as a result of defeat—has reached an all-time peak.

The latest population figure was put at 78,220,840. That is an increase of 5,851,698 since V-J Day.

Western Briefs

CALGARY. — Nearing an all-time record, the Alberta Stockyards in Calgary handled 60,253 head during November, 5,135 truck loads and 601 railway carloads made up the total which was exclusive of direct shipments to the local packing plants.

CARMAN, Man.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the Manitoba pool elevator here and 10,000 bushels of grain. Damage to the building was estimated at \$50,000.

REGINA. — Resources Minister Phelps of Saskatchewan said the provincial government would begin shortly a "vigorous program" to assess Saskatchewan's mineral resources and encourage their development.

WINNIPEG.—The Manitoba power commission announced power lines are scheduled to be extended next year to 5,000 new provincial farm homes.

MORRIS, Man.—A pet dog that jumped on a bed to warn his master of a fire in the house is credited with saving three lives here. The dog woke M. Hoffman by pulling off the bed clothes. Hoffman, his wife and nine-year-old daughter, Carol, escaped. The house was destroyed.

WEST VANCOUVER.—A library building and service, proposed by West Vancouver Library Association, is to be the official West Vancouver memorial for World War 2.

NIPAWIN, Sask.—A fully-matured lemon, grown in a flower pot by the late postmaster of this northeast Saskatchewan town, weighs $12\frac{1}{4}$ ounces and is 11 inches in circumference. It took five months to mature.

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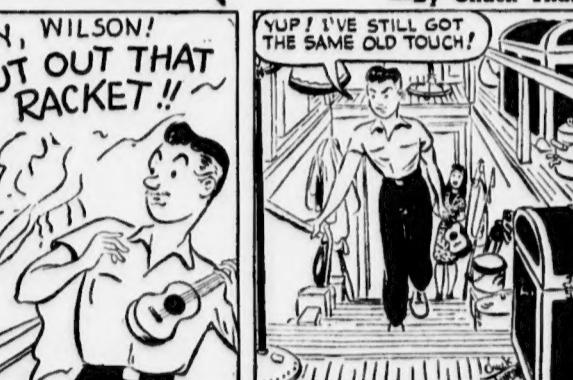
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—By Chuck Thurston



—By Les Carroll



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Castiglione's Win Crib Tournament

Mr. and Mrs. Castiglione of Qualicum Beach, B.C., recently won a cribbage tournament at that point winning eight out of nine games. There were 80 contestants.

ROCKYFORD

Rockyford ladies consider themselves quite lucky to have a beauty shop again. Mrs. Bob Diltrich has opened a shop on the premises formerly owned by G. Belisle and in the same building her husband will operate a coffee shop.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Belisle and family have moved to Calgary.

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Mrs. Skinner Katterhagen has been visiting at New Norway.

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Mrs. Joe Hendricks has been on the sick list the past few weeks and is now in a Calgary hospital.

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Rumor has it that Bob and Freddie captured a seal and toad on their latest hunting trip. These boys are quite good sparkmen.

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A lovely shower was held

in the Nightingale hall for Mr. and Mrs. Carl Geeraert recently and also at the Rockyford hall. They were the recipients of many gifts. The community extends best wishes to the young couple.

Irvine Katterhagen is driving a new Mercury.

Mrs. L. Roppel has been confined to a local hospital the past few weeks. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ternes of Beiseker attended the dance at Rockyford on Friday.

'PIONEER' ANNOUNCES DISTRIBUTION OF FORTUITOUS PROFIT ON OATS' AND BARLEY SOLD UNDER PRICE CEILINGS

All customers of 'Pioneer' Elevators are requested to call at their elevator and receive a cheque covering an additional payment on oats and barley delivered during the current crop season, between August 1st and October 21st, 1947, when price ceilings were in effect.

This payment is an interim distribution of the fortuitous profit made by the Company on oats and barley which it had on hand, and unsold, when price ceilings were removed on October 21st.

This payment is 12 cents on oats and 10 cents on barley.

Final payment will be made at a later date.

IT PAYS TO PULL TO THE 'PIONEER'

The government has also promised to make some adjustment to farmers on oats and barley delivered at ceiling prices between August 1st and October 21st, 1947. We trust they will take definite action to implement this promise in the near future.

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HOW TO PREVENT FIRES

Most fire losses occurring, arise from causes easily preventable. You can reduce your probability of loss by attention to the following simple precautions

1. Provide metal containers for hot ashes and prohibit the use of wooden receptacles.
2. Keep cellars, closets and stairways free from loose wrapping paper or other highly combustible material.
3. Equip your property so that it is easy to turn off current when leaving electric irons and other heating appliances, even for a short time.
4. Use only good standard fuses and never permit the substitution of coins or wires for blown fuses.
5. Examine metal flues periodically and see that they are removed before they are badly weakened by internal rust or otherwise.
6. See that accumulations of soot are removed from your chimneys at least once in each year, preferably before lighting fires in the fall.
7. Make sure that gasoline and other inflammable fluids, are kept out of rooms where there are open fires or flames of any kind.
8. Keep open lights (candles, gas) and portable electric heaters away from curtains or other inflammable material which may come in contact with them.
9. Keep your supply of matches in a closed metal receptacle and out of reach of the children.

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